

REMARKS

Claims 1 and 4-12 are pending in the application. Reconsideration of this application is requested.

Affidavits

The Advisory Action dated May 3, 2007 stated that the affidavit after final would not be entered because the applicant failed to provide a showing of good and sufficient reasons why the affidavit or other evidence is necessary and was not earlier presented – 37CFR1.116(e).

Applicant submits the following reasons why the affidavits are necessary and were not presented earlier.

Applicant submits that the affidavits are necessary in order to respond to the Examiner's invitation to submit such affidavits as stated on page 2 of the Advisory Action dated March 2, 2007, in order to show that Lin's underfill material is not capable of performing in the claimed manner of Applicant's adhesive material. Affidavits were not earlier submitted due to the inaccessibility of all the inventors. First named inventor, Kevin C. Farrell, separated from Motorola, Inc. on sick leave September 23, 2004 (prior to the first Office Action) and is now deceased. Inventor Gene Kim separated from Motorola, Inc. on January 25, 2005 (prior to the first Office Action) without forwarding address. As such, Affidavits were procured from three inventors Edwin L. Bradley, Hal R. Canter and David H. McClintock. Applicant respectfully requests that the affidavits be entered.

Rejection - 35 U.S.C. § 102(e)

Claims 1 and 4-12 were rejected under 35 U.S.C. § 102(e) as being anticipated by US 6,207,475 (Lin).

The affidavits show that the underfill material is not capable of performing in the claimed manner.

The Applicants believe that the subject application, as amended, is in condition for allowance. Such action is earnestly solicited by the Applicants.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge Deposit Account 502117, Motorola, Inc., with any fees which may be required in the prosecution of this application.

Respectfully submitted,

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